ശ്രീ. കെ. എ. ബാലൻ : കൂലിച്ചാത്തു് എഴുതിക്കൊടുത്തു് താമസിക്കുന്നവരാണെങ്കിലോ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ : വീട്ടിന്റെ ഉടമസ്ഥൻ കൊടുക്കണം.

ശ്രീ. കെ. എ. ബാലൻ : ഇതിനു വിപരീതമായി പഞ്ചായത്തുകാരും കരം പിരിക്കുന്നതായി കണ്ടാൽ വേണ്ട നടപടി നടത്തുമോ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ : നിശ്ചയിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള കരത്തിൽ കൂടുതൽ പിരിക്കുന്നതായി ബോദ്ധ്യപ്പെട്ടാൽ നടപടി എടുക്കുന്നതാണു്.

ഇ. ഭാസ്കരൻ കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ റിപ്പോർട്ടു്.

* 484. (16) ശ്രീ. കുട്ടപ്പൻ കോയിക്കൽ : തഴെ കാണുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്കു് തദ്ദേശസ്വയംഭരണ വകുപ്പു മന്ത്രി സദയം മറുപടി നൽകുമോ:

(എ) 1948–നു ശേഷം അന്നത്തെ അസംബ്ലി മെംബറായിരുന്ന ശ്രീ. ഇ. ഭാസ്കരൻ കൺവീനറായി നിയമിക്കപ്പെട്ട പിന്നാക്കസമുദായോദ്ധാരണ പരിഷ്കരണകമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ റിപ്പോർട്ടിൽ പറഞ്ഞിട്ടുള്ള ഏതെല്ലാം കാര്യങ്ങൾ നടപ്പിലാക്കിയിട്ടുണ്ടു്;

(ബി) പ്രസ്തുത റിപ്പോർട്ടിന്റെ ഒരു കാപ്പി മേശപ്പുറത്തു വയ്ക്കുമോ?

തദ്ദേശസ്വയംഭരണവകുപ്പുമന്ത്രി (ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ) :

(എ) ശ്രീ. ഇ. ഭാസ്കരൻ കൺവീനറായി നിയമിക്കപ്പെട്ട എൻ കമ്മീഷണർ കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ റിപ്പോർട്ടിന്റെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിൽ നടപ്പിലാക്കിയ കാര്യങ്ങളുടെ ലിസ്റ്റു് *മേശപ്പുറത്തു വച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു.

(ബി) മേശപ്പുറത്തു വച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു.*

ശ്രീ. കെ. സി. ജോർജ്ജു് : സർ. കഴിഞ്ഞ അസംബ്ലിയിൽ, ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്കു് ഉത്തരം മേശപ്പുറത്തു വയ്ക്കുന്നതിനെപ്പറ്റി ഞാൻ സംസാരിക്കയുണ്ടായി, അതിനു് എന്തെങ്കിലും പരിഹാരം ഉണ്ടാക്കാമെന്നു അന്നു മുഖ്യമന്ത്രി പറഞ്ഞു, മേശപ്പുറത്തു വയ്ക്കുന്ന ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എന്താണെന്നു മനസ്സിലാക്കി ഉപചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ചോദിക്കുന്നതിനു അതിന്റെ കാപ്പി ഞങ്ങൾക്കു കൂടി മുൻകൂട്ടി ലഭിക്കുന്നതിനു എന്തെങ്കിലും ഏർപ്പാടു ചെയ്യണമെന്നു എനിക്കു് ഒരു അപേക്ഷ ഉണ്ടു്.

Mr. SPEAKER : I shall look into it.

ശ്രീ. ടി. ടി. കേശവൻ ശാസ്ത്രി : ഈ കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ ശുപാർശ അനുസരിച്ചു ചില സ്ഥാപനങ്ങൾക്കു ഗ്രാന്റു് കൊടുക്കുകയും, മറ്റു ചില സ്ഥാപനങ്ങൾക്കു ഗ്രാന്റു് കൊടുക്കാതിരിക്കുകയും ചെയ്തിട്ടുള്ളതായി അറിയാമോ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ: ചില സ്ഥാപനങ്ങൾക്കു് ഗ്രാന്റു് കൊടുത്തിട്ടില്ല. കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ ശുപാർശയ്ക്കു മേൽ ആ സ്ഥാപനങ്ങളെപ്പറ്റി ശരിയായി അന്വേഷിച്ചു ഗവണ്മെന്റിനു തൃപ്തികരമായി തോന്നിയാൽമാത്രമേ

* Please See Appendices I & II.

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ഗ്രാൻറ് കൊടുക്കുകയുള്ളൂ. അങ്ങനെ അനേപക്ഷണത്തിന് അർഹതയുള്ള സ്ഥാപനങ്ങൾക്കു ഗ്രാൻറ് കൊടുത്തിട്ടുണ്ട്.

ശ്രീ. ടി. ടി. കേശവൻ ശാസ്ത്രി : തുച്ഛികരമായി നടത്തുന്ന സ്ഥാപനങ്ങൾക്ക് ഗ്രാൻറ് നൽകിയിട്ടില്ലെന്ന് ബോദ്ധ്യപ്പെടുത്തിയാൽ അതിനെപ്പറ്റി അനേപക്ഷിക്കുമോ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ : തീർച്ചയായും അനേപക്ഷിക്കാം.

മുനിസിപ്പാലിറ്റികളുടെ വികസനം.

* 485. [17] ശ്രീ. കുട്ടപ്പൻ കോയിക്കൽ : താഴെ കാണുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്ക് തദ്ദേശസ്വയംഭരണവകുപ്പുമന്ത്രി സദയം മറുപടി നൽകുമോ :

(എ) 1955 ജനുവരിക്കുശേഷം സംസ്ഥാനത്തെ ഏതെല്ലാം മുനിസിപ്പാലിറ്റികളാണ് വികസിപ്പിച്ചിട്ടുള്ളത്;

(ബി) എന്നാണ്;

(സി) പുതുതായി വികസിപ്പിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള മുനിസിപ്പാലിറ്റികളിൽ ഇപ്പോൾ ചേർത്തിട്ടുള്ള സ്ഥലത്തെ പ്രതിനിധീകരിക്കുന്നതിന് മുനിസിപ്പൽ കൗൺസിലുകളിൽ ആരെയെങ്കിലും തിരഞ്ഞെടുത്തിട്ടുണ്ടോ; ഇല്ലെങ്കിൽ കാരണമെന്ത്?

തദ്ദേശസ്വയംഭരണവകുപ്പുമന്ത്രി (ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ) :

(എ) കായംകുളം.

(ബി) 1-4-1955 മുതൽ

(സി) ഇല്ല. പുതുതായി ചേർത്ത പ്രദേശങ്ങൾ മുമ്പുണ്ടായിരുന്ന പല വാർഡുകളിലായി ചേർത്തതിനാൽ പ്രത്യേകിച്ച് ഒരു പ്രതിനിധിയുടെ ആവശ്യം ഉണ്ടായില്ല.

ശ്രീ. കുട്ടപ്പൻ കോയിക്കൽ : ഇങ്ങനെ മുനിസിപ്പാലിറ്റികൾ വികസിപ്പിക്കുമ്പോൾ, പഞ്ചായത്തുകളുടെ കുറെ ഭാഗം വികസനത്തിൽ ഉൾപ്പെട്ടാൽ ബാക്കി വരുന്ന പ്രദേശങ്ങൾ ഒരു പഞ്ചായത്തായി നിൽക്കാൻ കഴിയാതെവരികയില്ലേ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ : പഞ്ചായത്തുകൾ അങ്ങനെ തനിയെ നിൽക്കാൻ സാദ്ധ്യമല്ലാതെ വന്നാൽ അതു അടുത്ത പഞ്ചായത്തുകളുമായി ചേർക്കും.

ശ്രീ. കുട്ടപ്പൻ കോയിക്കൽ : കീരിക്കാട് പഞ്ചായത്തു അടുത്ത ഏതെങ്കിലും പഞ്ചായത്തുമായി ചേർക്കാൻ എന്തെങ്കിലും നടപടി എടുത്തിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

ശ്രീ. കെ. കൊച്ചുകുട്ടൻ : അനേപക്ഷിച്ചു മറുപടി പറയാം.

Allotment of land to Anglo-Indians.

* 486 [18] SHRI A. A. D. LUIZ: Will the Minister for Local Self Government be pleased to state whether any application for allotment of land was received from landless and

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APPENDIX I

[*Please see answer to Question No. * 484 (16)*].

The following recommendation contained in the report of the Enquiry Committee has been given effect to :—

1. Financial assistance has been sanctioned to the following institutions.—

i.	Harijan Seva Sangh, Nagercoil	..	Rs.	20 per mensem
ii.	City Scavengers' Union, Trivandrum	..	,,	60 ,,
iii.	Village and Cottage Industries, Goureesapattam	..	,,	60 ,,
iv.	Central Distress Relief Institute, Trivandrum	..	,,	60 ,,
v.	Gunadharma Orphanage, Pallikal	..	,,	60 ,,
vi.	Cottage Industries, Payipad	..	,,	20 ,,
vii.	Sri Chitra Vilasom Weaving School, Venganoor	..	,,	1,500 ,,
viii.	Sri Chitra Mandiram, Pullad	..	,,	500 ,,

2. *Grant to Communal Organisations.* No communal organisations of Backward Communities will be given financial assistance from Government. If, however, a communal organisation is engaged in any activity deserving financial aid from Government, grant will be paid in aid of such activity.

3. *Control and Supervision.* The Department for the Advancement of Backward Communities should exercise intensive control and supervision over the institutions and organisations receiving financial assistance from Government. The registers, offices and working premises should be readily made available for inspection by the Commissioner and his Field Officers. Monthly statements and annual reports should be sent regularly to the Field Officers. The authorities should abide by the rules and regulations framed by the Commissioner.

4. More attention is now being paid for the social, educational and material welfare of Hill Tribes.

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APPENDIX II

[*Please see answer to question No.* ❋ *484 (16)*]

Report of the Committee for Enquiry into the working of the Grant-in-aid Institutions professing to do uplift work among Backward Communities.

The Committee was constituted in G. P. C3. 7484|50|DD dated 21st July 1950 which is given below : —

PROCEEDINGS.

(Development Department)

Constitution of a Committee to enquire into the working of the grant-in-aid institutions professing to do uplift work among Backward Communities.

Read : (1) Extract of the minutes of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for the Uplift of Backward Communities held on 20-5-1950.

(2) Letter No. I. 343/50 dated 1-9-1950 from the Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communities.

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In the meeting of the Advisory Committee for the Uplift of Backward Communities held on 20-5-1950, it was expressed that a few of the institutions in receipt of grants were not doing proper work and that investigation into their working was necessary for the continuance of the grant. It was agreed that Government should constitute a Committee to enquire into the working of the institutions and to submit its report within two months after its nomination. Government have been pleased to accept the recommendation of the Committee. Accordingly sanction is accorded to the constitution of a Committee for the above purpose.

The Committee shall consist of the following persons :—

(1) Shri E. Bhaskaran, M. L. A.
(2) „ N. S. Kochu Kunju, M. L. A.
(3) „ T. T. Kesavan Sastri, M. L. A.
(4) „ R. Atchuthan, M. L. A.
(5) „ K. Kuttappan, M. L. A.

Shri E. Bhaskaran shall be Convener of the Committee.

The terms of reference to the Committee shall be the following :—

1. What all spheres of activities of private institutions in the cause of Harijan Uplift should in the opinion of the Committee, receive financial and other assistance from the Government?

2. Do the institutions and organisations which at present receive grants deserve help from the Department?

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3. If they deserve, what should be the nature and extent of help to be rendered to them and the time limit.

4. Should new institutions and organisations be awarded financial assistance?

5. Should communal organisations be given help and if so, in what manner?

6. What should be the nature and extent of the control of the Department for the Advancement of Backward Communities over the institutions and organisations receiving help?

The Committee shall submit its report to Government within two months.

The Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communities should see that his department including the Field Officers, render all necessary assistance to the Committee in its work.

Delay in submitting the Report : The G. P. constituting the Committee had allowed only a period of two months after its constitutions, for the submission of the report. But the various institutions professing to do uplift work among the Backward Communities in the whole of Travancore-Cochin State coming within the purview of the Committee enquiry had to be inspected with a view to study their working. For the inspection of these institutions, our tour programme had to be so arranged as not to clash with the sessions of the Legislature. The period of the Committee had therefore to be extended by successive G. P's till the end of January 1951. As some of the members fell ill, the report could not be submitted within the extended period.

Questionnaire. On account of the shortness of time available for the Committee for submitting the report, it was felt that no questionnaire should be issued. Further, the Committee was confident that by extensive touring and by contacting the persons experienced in the work of Harijan uplift, all shades of public opinion could be gathered.

Tours. The Committee visited and conducted enquiries re: the working of the following institutions and organisations professing to do uplift work among the Backward Communities :—

1 Harijan Sevak Sangh, Nagercoil.
2 Maravar Maha Sabha, Putheri.
3 Reading Room and Library at Perumpazhuthur.
4 Kasturba Centre, Pacode, Kuzhithurai.
5 Gramodharana Centre, Thittavelikara.
6 Sri Chitra Vilasom Weaving School, Venganoor.
7 Araya Coir Industries Centre, Kollengode.
8 Inavar Mahasabha, Neyyattinkara.
9 City Scavengers' Union, Trivandrum.
10 Pulaya Mahasabha, Trivandrum.

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11 Sri Ramrkrishna Ashram, Trivandrum.
12 Ananda Nilayam, Manacaud, Trivandrum.
13 Hindu Mahila Mandiram, Poojapura.
14 Arya Kumar Ashram, Pattom.
15 Village Cottage Industries, Gowreesapattom.
16 Central Distress Relief Institute, Kuravankonam.
17 B. C. Cottage Industries Uplift Centre, Nanthancode.
18 Krishnankutty's Mat Making Concern, Nanthancode.
19 Harijan Hostel, Varkala.
20 Thachar Mahasabha, Attingal.
21 Harijan Pial School, Poothakulam, Paravoor.
22 Bharatha Vela Panikker Mahasabha, Pallikkal.
23 Gunadharma Orphanage, Pallikkal.
24 Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Adoor.
25 Vedar Mahasabha, Adoor.
26 Harijan Hostel, Elanthoor.
27 Khader Kendram, Elanthoor.
28 Atmabodhodaya Sanghom, Mavelikara.
29 Subhananda Ashram, Kulathoor.
30 Gramodharana Kendram, Mararikulam.
31 Pandiar Mahasabha, Shencottah.
33 Depressed Class Federation, Shencottah.
33 Thandar Mahasabha, Kayamkulam.
34 Reading Room at Tharayil Kadavu, Keerikad.
35 Kuravar Christian Mahasabha, Kulakkada.
36 Sadhujana Paripalana Yogom, Pandalam.
37 Harijan Ekeekarana Sanghom, Aranmula.
38 Library of the Thandar Mahasabha, Chenganoor.
39 Arya Sabha Keral, Chengannoor.
40 Parayar Mahasabha, Chengannoor.
41 Sambavar Mahasabha, Chengannoor.
42 Harijan School, Pulakkunnu, Chengannoor.
43 Cheramar Christian Mahasabha, Tiruvalla.
44 Karthika Tirunal Reading Room, Pullad.
45 Sri Chitra Mandiram, Tiruvalla
46 Chakkamar Mahasabha, Tiruvella.
47 Pial School of Kizhakkappulaya Mahasabha, Kuriannoor Thiruvella.
48 Cheramar Yuvajana Sanghom Reading Room, Paipad.
49 Cheramar Mahasabha, Perunna.
50 Cottage Industries, Payippad.

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51 Deseeya Mahila Sadanam, Panachikad, Kottayam.
52 Reading Room of the Kizhakkappulaya Seva Samithy Kangazha.
53 Bhajana Mutt of do. do. do. Kangazha.
54 Jayabharath Trading Co., Kangazha.
55 Pial School of the Kizhakkappulaya Seva Samithy, Chethakkal, Ranni.
56 Office of the Kizhakkappulaya Seva Samithy, Erumeli.
57 Bhajana Mutt, do. do. Pothanmala.
58 Pial School do. do. do.
59 Avasa Samudaya Seva Samithy, Vandiperiyar.
60 Harijan Congress, Mundakayam.
61 Sree Rama Ashram, Ponkunnom.
62 Sanmargaposhini Velavar Mahasabha, Meenachil.
63 Peruvannar Velavar Mahasabha, do.
64 Vivekananda Seva Ashram, Puliyannoor.
65 Pandit Karuppan Memorial Reading Room and Library Vaikom.
66 Mala Araya Maha Sabha, Thodupuzha.
67 Harijan Sevak Sangh, Munnar.
68 Sri Chitra Orphanage, Kalady.
69 Kudumbi Industrial Co-operative Society No. 718, Poyya.
70 Mahatma Grama Seva Sanghom, Crangannoor.
71 Kadar Kendram, Chalakudy.
72 Padanna Co-operative Society, Cherpu, Trichur.
73 Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Vilangans, Trichur.
74 Kasturba Kendram, Kurkancherry, Trichur.
75 Gandhi Ashram, Mayannoor.
76 Kuravar Mahasbha, Adoor.
77 Parayar Mahasabha Reading Room, Erumeli.

We have availed ourselves of these travels and enquiries to have a thorough knowledge of the different spheres of activities in which these institutions are engaged. From the knowledge we have gathered, we are of unanimous opinion that the spheres of activities of private institutions in the cause of Harijan uplift which deserve financial and other assistance from Government may be the following :—

1 Reading Rooms and Libraries.
2 Pial Schools.
3 Centres for Adult Education.
4 Cottage Industries such as spinning and weaving, Eral Industry, mat-making, bee-keeping, poultry farming, etc.

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5 Orphanages
6 Collective farming
7 Medical aid
8 Noon-feeding in schools
9 Common building or Bhajana Mutts
10 Wells
11 House-building
12 Any other activities conducive to the betterment of the conditions of Backward Communities.

All the institutions and organisations which at present receive grants from Government do not deserve the continuance of the help from the department. The work of certain institutions were found unsatisfactory. Some of the institutions receive help from other sources for their maintenance. Government are awarding liberal grants to the students studying in Schools and Colleges on a Statewide policy and thereof we do not consider it proper to show any invidious distinction to certain students by admitting them in hostels and other boarding houses.

Grant were being awarded to the Sri. Ramakrishna Ashram Trivandrum; Ananda Nilayam, Manacad; Hindu Mahila Mandiram, Poojappura; Araya Kumar Ashram, Pattom; Harijan Hostel, Varkala; Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Adoor; Harijan Hostel, Elanthoor; Deseeya Mahila Sadanam, Panachikad, Kottayam; Sri Rama Ashram, Ponkunnam; Vivekananda Seva Ashram, Puliyannoor; Sri. Chitra Orphanage. Kalady, Sri, Ramakrishna Ashram, Vilangans, etc., for doing uplift work among Backward Communities. They have retarded their work with the stoppage of grants from the Departments. We do not recommend the continuance of grant to such institutions. The names of institutions which deserve grants and the amounts of grants to be paid to each are given below. As regards the time limit of help to be given, we are of opinion that the help should be extended during the period provided by the Constitution of India to the Scheduled Castes commencing from the beginning of April 1950. If however the working of any institution is found to be unsatisfactory, the help given by Government should be stopped.

NAMES OF INSTITUTIONS WHOSE GRANTS WERE STOPPED BUT DESERVE TO BE CONTINUED

Name of Institution	*Amount of grant*	*Remarks.*
	Rs.	
1 Harijan Sevak Sangh, Nagercoil	20	Monthly
2 Reading Room and Library at Perumpazhuthur	20	do.

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3 City Scavengers' Union, Trivandrum	80	do.
4 Village Cottage Industries, Growreesapattom	60	do.
5 Central Distress Relief Institute, Trivandrum.	60	At Rs. 10 each to 6 students for their training in the institution.
6 Gunadharma Orphanage, Pallikkal	60	Monthly
7 Karthika Tirunal Reading Room, Pullad	20	do.
8 Cottage Industries, Payippad	20	do.

A number of new institutions and organisations have applied for financial help from Government. On our inspection and local enquiries made about the working of those institutions, we are of opinion that some of them deserve financial aid from Government on the same conditions as proposed in the case of the other inistitutions for which grants have been recommended. We therefore recommend that the under-mentioned institutions may be awarded the grants noted against each from the beginning of April 1951.

LIST OF NEW INSTITUTIONS TO WHICH GRANT HAS TO BE PAID

Name of Institution	*Amount*	*Remarks*
1 Library for the Depressed Class Federation, Shencottah	20	Monthly
2 Library of the Thandar Mahasabha, Chengannoor	20	do.
3 Library of the Kizhakkapulaya Seva Samithy, Kangazha	20	do.
4 Library for the Harijan Sevak Sangh, Munnar.	20	do.
5 Pandit Karuppan Memorial Reading Room, Vaikom.	20	do.

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6 Library for the Kadar Kendram, Chalakudy.	20	do.
7 Parayar Mahasabha Reading Room, Erumeli.	20	do.

Item 2. Note: There is already a departmental Library for the Backward Communities at Chengannur. The Library of the Thandar Mahasabha may therefore be shifted to a Backward Community Centre where there are no other libraries.

A lump sum grant of Rs. 200 each may be paid to the Tharayil Kadavu Reading Room and the Cheramar Yuvajana Sanghom Reading Room at Payippad for the purchase of books.

The following institutions have applied for lump sum grants noted against each. We are of opinion that suitable lump sum grants may be paid in aid of the activities of the institutions.

Name of Institution.	*Amount of lump sum grant applied for*	*Purpose*
1. Sri Chitra Vilasom Weaving School, Venganur	Rs. 1500	For the reconstruction of the School building.
2. Araya Coir Industries Centre, Kollengode	Rs. 500	In aid of the Coir-making Industry.
3. Sri Chitra Mandiram, Pullad.	Rs. 500	For attending to the repairs of the building.
4. Kudumbi Industrial Co-operative Society No. 718, Poyya.		In aid of the Coir-making industry.

All the sections of the Backward Communities have got their communal organisations either registered or unregistered with branches in the different parts of the State. Instances are not uncommon of a particular community having several rival organisations under the leadership of different persons. Most of these organisations have been organised by clever leaders for exploiting the ignorance of the poor and illiterate people. We are of unanimous opinion that no communal organisation be given any financial help from Government. If, however, a communal organisation is engaged in any activities deserving the financial assistance of Government, grants may be paid in aid of such activities.

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The Department for the Advancement of Backward Communities should exercise intensive control and supervision over the institutions and organisations receiving financial assistance from the Department. The registers, offices and working premises should be readily made available for inspection by the Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communities and his Field Officers having jurisdiction over the institution. Monthly statements and annual reports, of the activities of the institutions should regularly be sent to the Field Officers. The authorities of the institutions should abide by the rules and regulations framed by the Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communites and Field Officers.

General. Very little is done for the amilioration of the Hill Tribes particularily those who are living in the High Ranges. We expect that the Department for the Advancement of Backward Communities will pay more attention for the social, educational and material advancement of these people.

Conclusion. We are grateful to the Government of His Highness the Raja Pramukh for all the arrangements made for the travel and working of the Committee. To the Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communities we are particularily indebted for the conveniences and for prompt assistance rendered by him wherever necessary.

We are much grateful to the Field Officers for the Advancement of Backward Communities for the Co-operation rendered by them in our work.

Our thanks are due to the authorities of the institutions and organisations for the facilities rendered to us during our tour. We desire especially to mention the co-operation and assistance we received in the work from Sri P. C. Samuel, Head Clerk, Office of the Commissioner for the Advancement of Backward Communities, subsequently appointed as Field Officer, Attingal, who was appointed to attend to the Committee's work. He was of exceptional service to us in the execution of the work of the Committee.

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